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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8.

Conclusion and signature is on page 12.

Exhibit A is provided after page 13.